



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:)
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Tetsunori OTAGURO) Group Art Unit: 3652
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Serial No.: 09/977,394) Examiner: Charles A. Fox
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Filed: October 16, 2001)
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For: DRIVE-SELECTION-ISOLATED)
FOUP OPENER)

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JANUARY 20, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the office action of January 20, 2004, please amend the captioned
application as follows:

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